

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

(Thursday, March 9, 1933)

The House met at 9:30 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Hodges.
Adamson.	Holekamp.
Aikin.	Holland.
Alexander.	Holloway.
Alsup.	Hoskins.
Anderson	Huddleston.
of Bexar.	Hughes.
Anderson	Hunt.
of Johnson.	Hyder.
Baker.	Jackson.
Barrett.	James.
Barron.	Johnson
Beck.	of Anderson.
Bedford.	Jones of Atascosa.
Bourne.	Jones of Runnels.
Burns.	Jones of Shelby.
Butler.	Kayton.
Calvert.	Kyle of Hays.
Camp.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Canon.	Laird.
Cathey.	Latham.
Chastain.	Lemens.
Clayton.	Leonard.
Colson.	Lindsey.
Coombes.	Long.
Cowley.	Lotief.
Crossley.	Magee.
Daniel.	Mackay.
Davidson.	Mathis.
Dean.	McClain.
Devall.	McCullough.
Dunlap.	McDougald.
Dunagan.	McGregor.
Duvall.	McKee.
Dwyer.	Merritt.
Engelhard.	Metcalfe.
Fain.	Mitcham.
Few.	Moffett.
Ford.	Moore.
Fuchs.	Morrison.
Glass.	Morse.
Golson.	Munson.
Good.	Palmer.
Goodman.	Parkhouse.
Greathouse.	Patterson.
Griffith.	Pavlica.
Haag.	Pope.
Hankamer.	Puryear.
Harman.	Ramsey.
Harris.	Ratliff.
Harrison.	Ray.
Hartzog.	Reader.
Head.	Reed of Bowie.
Hester.	Reed of Dallas.
Hicks.	Renfro.
Hill of Brazoria.	Riddle.
Hill of Webb.	Roberts.

Rogers of Hunt.	Sullivant.
Rogers	Tarwater.
of Ochiltree.	Tennyson.
Rollins.	Thomas.
Ross.	Tillery.
Russell.	Townsend.
Savage.	Turlington.
Scarborough.	Van Zandt.
Scott.	Vaughan.
Shults.	Wagstaff.
Smith.	Walker.
Stanfield.	Weinert.
Steward.	Wells.
Stinson.	Wood.
Stovall.	Young.

Absent

Nicholson.	West.
Shannon.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

A quorum was announced present.
Prayer was offered by Rev. Geo. W. Coltrin, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Jefferson for today, on motion of Mr. Barrett.

Mr. Caven for today, on motion of Mr. Beck.

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Winningham for today, on motion of Mr. Palmer.

Mr. Graves for today, on motion of Mr. Camp.

Mr. Fisher for today and the balance of the week, on motion of Mr. Alsup.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Golson (by request):

H. B. No. 789, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing commissioners courts to employ stenographers for the county judges and pay their

salaries out of the general fund, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Dunagan:

H. B. No. 790, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the hunting, taking, or killing of wild foxes, or having in possession the pelts thereof in Upshur County; providing a penalty; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Greathouse:

H. B. No. 791, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subsection 14, of Article 5421-c, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, same being Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, page 64, Chapter 40, by providing that hereafter in all condemnation proceedings, the mineral rights of the condemned party shall be superior to the surface rights of the condemning party, and in the event of any conflict where it is necessary to drill any offset well, that the surface rights shall yield to the mineral rights, and the condemning party shall immediately remove any interference or hindrance therewith, and in the event of his failure to do so upon demand, the owner of the mineral rights shall have the right to do so, without liability; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Public Lands and Buildings.

By Mr. Hartzog, Mr. Scarborough, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Dunagan, and Mr. Russell:

H. B. No. 792, A bill to be entitled "An Act regulating and imposing duties and restrictions on telephone, and electric light, and power utilities; providing for the regulation of rates to be charged by public utilities engaged in the business of furnishing either local or long distance telephone service, and electric light, and power; conferring certain original and appellate jurisdiction on the Railroad Commission of Texas; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Johnson of Anderson:

H. B. No. 793, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Article 2283, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, which article provides for filing of briefs in the trial court in cases on appeal or writ of error to the Court of Civil Appeals, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Parkhouse:

H. B. No. 794, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for a mandatory audit of county officials, said audit to be authorized by commissioners court at regular intervals; providing for the payment therefor, the publication thereof, and the disposal of recommendations made by auditors employed as provided herein, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Mackay, Mr. Engelhard, Mr. Fuchs, Mr. Tarwater, Mr. Puryear, and Mr. Van Zandt:

H. B. No. 795, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 8, Title 121, of the Revised Civil Statutes, of 1925, by inserting therein, following Article 7027, a new Article to be numbered 7027-a. Said Article relating to cattle quarantine; directing the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas to hear and consider all claims for damages growing out of, and incident to, quarantine provided for in Article 7027; providing for compensation of individuals for losses sustained; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Live Stock and Stock Raising.

By Mr. Mackay, Mr. Fuchs, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Young, and Mr. Townsend:

H. B. No. 796, A bill to be entitled "An Act dividing the State into north and south zones; defining the dividing line of such zones; fixing the open season for taking or killing of 'mourning' doves and quail in the north and south zones; fixing the penalty for violation of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Scarborough:

H. B. No. 797, A bill to be entitled "An Act imposing and levying an oc-

cupation tax on all individuals, companies, corporations, and associations selling or furnishing power or electrical energy to the public for compensation; providing that every such individual, company, corporation, or association selling or furnishing electrical energy or power to the public for compensation, shall pay a quarterly tax of one-fourth of one mill on each kilowatt or kilowatt-hour of electrical power sold by any electric light or power company authorized to transact business in this State, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Pope:

H. B. No. 798, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make the provisions of the criminal statutes with reference to trusts and conspiracies against trade applicable to secret rebate, or other rebate, or drawback, or commission given by any person, firm, or corporation engaged in the sale of drugs or medicine or filling doctor's or other prescription for any drug or medicine by adding to Article 1638, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, of 1925, a new article to be entitled Article 1638-a, and making applicable to this Act the penalties provided in Chapter 3, of Title 19, of said Penal Code, for trusts and conspiracies against trade violations, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Haag:

H. B. No. 799, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1601, Chapter 5, Title 33, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, Regular Session, page 264, Chapter 185, so as to require all indebtedness against a courthouse, or courthouses, shall be paid in full before the county seat of any county can be moved from its present location; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; declaring a rule of construction; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Savage and Mr. Coombes:

H. B. No. 800, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 3279, 3281, 3283, and 3286, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925; all of said Articles

relating to escheat; providing for immediate sale of property after judgment, and limiting the time in which title may be subject to divestiture, and money paid into the State Treasury may be reclaimed."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Savage and Mr. Coombes:

H. B. No. 801, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 3652 and 3653, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, relating to the rights of distributees to recover funds of an estate which have been paid into the State Treasury, limiting the time in which suit may be instituted, establishing jurisdiction, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Savage and Mr. Coombes:

H. B. No. 802, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 465, 467, and 468, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, relating to unclaimed and unpaid deposits and dividends of liquidated State banks; providing for their payment into the State Treasury, the conditions under which they may be reclaimed, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Savage and Mr. Coombes:

H. B. No. 803, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 540, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, relating to the dissolution of solvent banks, and the disposition of unclaimed deposits, moneys, and credits; providing that such funds shall be paid into the State Treasury for the benefit of the State, limiting the time in which such deposits, moneys, and credits may be reclaimed, providing the mode of recovery, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Savage and Mr. Coombes:

H. B. No. 804, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 7316 and 7328, as amended by Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, First Called Session, page 260, Chapter 99, Section 1, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, relating to excess purchase price of lands sold for taxes, limiting the time in which such excess may be recovered from the State Treasury."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 633

On motion of Mr. Hill of Brazoria, by unanimous consent of the House, the emergency clause was added to the caption of House Bill No. 633.

RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 482

On motion of Mr. Turlington, by unanimous consent of the House, the caption of House Bill No. 482 was ordered amended to conform to all changes made in the body of the bill.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

On motion of Mr. Jackson, House Bill No. 451 was laid on the table.

RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 167

Mr. Moore moved that the Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations be instructed to have House Bill No. 167 reprinted for the purpose of having the errors in the bill corrected, and that the cost of the correction of errors made by the printer be made at the expense of the printer, and that those made by the Committee on Appropriations be corrected at the expense of the House.

The motion prevailed.

RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled resolution:

S. C. R. No. 24, To urge the greater use of granite in Federal construction work.

BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED

On motion of Mr. Holekamp, Senate Bills Nos. 40 and 104 were ordered not printed.

INVITING EDDIE CANTOR TO ADDRESS THE HOUSE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, resolution offered by Mr. Dunagan and others, inviting Eddie Cantor to address the House;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time.

Mr. Alsup offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend resolution by providing that Eddie Cantor shall not address the House while it is in session.

The amendment was lost.

Question then recurring on the resolution, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—61

Adamson.	Hunt.
Alexander.	Jackson.
Barrett.	Johnson
Beck.	of Anderson.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Butler.	Laird.
Camp.	Latham.
Canon.	Long.
Colson.	Mathis.
Coombes.	McClain.
Daniel.	McCullough.
Davidson.	McGregor.
Devall.	Merritt.
Dunagan.	Moffett.
Dwyer.	Moore.
Ford.	Morse.
Golson.	Munson.
Good.	Palmer.
Greathouse.	Parkhouse.
Griffith.	Patterson.
Haag.	Pavlica.
Hankamer.	Ramsey.
Harris.	Ratliff.
Harrison.	Reed of Dallas.
Hartzog.	Russell.
Head.	Shults.
Hester.	Stanfield.
Hill of Webb.	Steward.
Hodges.	Tennyson.
Holland.	Townsend.
Huddleston.	Wells.

Nays—49

Aikin.	Hughes.
Alsup.	James.
Anderson	Jones of Runnels.
of Bexar.	Lindsey.
Anderson	Lotief.
of Johnson.	Magee.
Baker.	Mackay.
Bourne.	McDougald.
Cathey.	Mitcham.
Chastain.	Morrison.
Crossley.	Pope.
Dean.	Puryear.
Engelhard.	Ray.
Fain.	Reed of Bowie.
Few.	Roberts.
Fuchs.	Rogers of Hunt.
Glass.	Rogers
Harman.	of Ochiltree.
Hicks.	Ross.
Holekamp.	Savage.
Hoskins.	Scott.

Sullivant.
Tarwater.
Thomas.
Tillery.
Turlington.

Vaughan.
Wagstaff.
Walker.
Wood.
Young.

Present—Not Voting

Calvert.
Cowley.

Rollins.
Scarborough.

Absent

Barron.
Bedford.
Clayton.
Dunlap.
Duvall.
Goodman.
Hill of Brazoria.
Holloway.
Hyder.
Jones of Atascosa.
Jones of Shelby.
Kayton.
Kyle of Hays.
Lemens.

Leonard.
McKee.
Metcalf.
Nicholson.
Reader.
Renfro.
Riddle.
Shannon.
Smith.
Stinson.
Stovall.
Van Zandt.
Weinert.
West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.
Caven.
Fisher.
Graves.

Jefferson.
Johnson
of Dimmit.
Winningham.

TO GRANT G. B. WHITE PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 21, To grant G. B. White permission to sue the State.

Whereas, On or about January 1, 1931, G. B. White and B. White, residents of Tom Green County, Texas, the said G. B. White and B. White constituting the firm of White Brothers, entered into a written contract with the State Highway Commission of the State of Texas for the purpose of building, grading, and constructing small drainage structures on Job 200-K, F. A. P. 600 B, in Coleman and Runnels Counties, Texas, on State Highway No. 23; and,

Whereas, The said G. B. White and B. White, contractors, undertook and did perform the work contemplated and as provided in said contract; and

Whereas, A dispute has arisen between said contractors and the State Highway Commission of the State of Texas as to the amount of solid rock in connection with said contract, and a dispute has arisen in reference to

liquidated damages assessed against the said G. B. White and B. White by way of penalties; and,

Whereas, The amount involved is estimated to be approximately \$35,000, which amount the said contractors claim as their damage and as to the amount to which they are entitled over and above the amount paid by said State Highway Commission; and,

Whereas, Said dispute cannot be adjusted as between the parties, and a necessity exists for the settlement thereof in a court of competent jurisdiction; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the said G. B. White and B. White be, and they are hereby, granted permission and given authority to institute a suit against the State of Texas and/or the State Highway Commission of the State of Texas in a court of competent jurisdiction in order to determine and settle the differences, if any, between the parties arising out of and in connection with aforesaid contract between the parties.

The crowded condition of the calendar and the importance of the subject matter of the resolution hereinabove set forth create an emergency and an imperative public necessity requiring the suspension of the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read upon three separate days in each House, and the said rule is hereby suspended, and this resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

ENDORSING L. A. ROBINSON FOR CERTAIN POSITION

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 35, Endorsing L. A. Robinson for certain position.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations;

The Committee on Federal Relations having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

CHANGE IN STANDING COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED

Mr. Scarborough was named as a member of the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence, to take the place of Mr. Butler.

TO MEMORIALIZE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. Clayton offered the following resolution:

Memorial of the Legislature of Texas to the Congress of the United States concerning the building of a storage reservoir upon the Rio Grande, at or near the State line between the States of Colorado and New Mexico, and the draining into the Rio Grande of the area in the San Luis Valley, known as the Closed Basin.

To the Congress of the United States:

Whereas, A temporary Compact, known as "The Rio Grande Compact," was negotiated between the representatives of the States of Texas, Colorado, and New Mexico, concerning the division of the waters of the Rio Grande above Fort Quitman, Texas, between the citizens of the States named, which said Compact was signed at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the twelfth day of February, 1929, and thereafter approved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, May 22, 1929, and approved by the Legislature of the State of Colorado, by Act approved April 19, 1929, and by the Legislature of the State of New Mexico, by Act approved March 9, 1929; and which Compact was thereafter approved by the Congress of the United States; and

Whereas, In Article 2, of said Compact, there was set forth the necessity for the construction of an additional storage reservoir upon the Rio Grande, at or near the line between the States of Colorado and New Mexico, and the construction of a drain for the purpose of augmenting the water supply in the Rio Grande by draining into the Rio Grande a great volume of water, now lost by seepage in what is known as the Closed Basin, in the San Luis Valley, in the State of Colorado, and in said Article there were set forth just and cogent reasons why said reservoir and drain should be constructed at the cost of the United States; and

Whereas, It was set forth in said Article that certain waters had been allotted annually and in perpetuity by

the United States to the Republic of Mexico, and that the Rio Grande, flowing through that portion of the country in which irrigation is necessary for successful farming, and flowing water is the greatest asset to the community, the cost of performing said treaty was imposed upon this great natural resource of three States, instead of being a charge on the National Treasury, as is meet and proper in carrying out a treaty of the United States; and

Whereas, The States of Texas, Colorado, and New Mexico are now operating under a temporary Compact or Treaty, pending the construction of such reservoir and drain, which Compact will, by its terms, expire in 1935; and

Whereas, It is urgently necessary that said reservoir and drain be constructed without unnecessary delay;

Now, therefore, the Legislature of the State of Texas presents this memorial to the Congress of the United States, and respectfully urges upon the Congress of the United States the passage of the necessary legislation authorizing the construction of said reservoir and drain, at the cost of the United States, and at the earliest practicable date which the Congress may deem to be consistent with the public interest; and the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to send a copy of this memorial to each of the United States Senators and to each Member of the National House of Representatives from Texas, for their consideration and action.

CLAYTON,
HANKAMER,
HILL of Webb,
JACKSON,
TOWNSEND,
LEONARD.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

EXTENDING PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. Laird offered the following resolution:

Whereas, On Friday, and Saturday, March 10, and 11, there will be in Austin, a number of basket ball teams, representing various schools from all parts of Texas, and,

Whereas, These young men are representative of the best in manly sportsmanship, and,

Whereas, This will be the first opportunity of a number of these young men to visit their capital city; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives extend to them the privilege of the floor of the House during their stay in Austin.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 70 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 70, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation, to be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State of Texas, the sum of three thousand eight hundred and forty-three dollars (\$3,843), not otherwise appropriated, to cover taxes due by the State of Texas to the Sugarland Independent School District, covering the years from 1928 to 1932, inclusive, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 70 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Harrison moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 70 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—106

Adamson.	Davidson.
Aikin.	Dean.
Alsup.	Devall.
Anderson	Dunlap.
of Johnson.	Dwyer.
Baker.	Engelhard.
Beck.	Fain.
Bedford.	Few.
Bourne.	Ford.
Burns.	Fuchs.
Butler.	Glass.
Calvert.	Golson.
Camp.	Good.
Canon.	Goodman.
Cathey.	Griffith.
Chastain.	Haag.
Clayton.	Hankamer.
Colson.	Harris.
Coombes.	Harrison.
Cowley.	Hartzog.
Crossley.	Head.
Daniel.	Hester.

Hicks.	Pavlica.
Hill of Webb.	Pope.
Hodges.	Puryear.
Holland.	Ramsey.
Holloway.	Ratliff.
Hoskins.	Ray.
Huddleston.	Reed of Bowie.
Hughes.	Reed of Dallas.
Jackson.	Renfro.
James.	Roberts.
Johnson	Rogers of Hunt.
of Anderson.	Rogers
Jones of Runnels.	of Ochiltree.
Jones of Shelby.	Ross.
Kyle of Hays.	Russell.
Laird.	Scarborough.
Latham.	Shults.
Lemens.	Smith.
Lotief.	Stanfield.
Magee.	Steward.
Mackay.	Stinson.
McCullough.	Stovall.
McDougald.	Sullivant.
Merritt.	Tarwater.
Metcalfe.	Tennyson.
Mitcham.	Thomas.
Moffett.	Townsend.
Moore.	Turlington.
Morrison.	Walker.
Morse.	Weinert.
Munson.	Wood.
Palmer.	Young.
Parkhouse.	

Nays—2

Lindsey.

Rollins.

Absent

Alexander.	Mathis.
Anderson	McClain.
of Bexar.	McGregor.
Barrett.	McKee.
Barron.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Patterson.
Duvall.	Reader.
Greathouse.	Riddle.
Harman.	Savage.
Hill of Brazoria.	Scott.
Holekamp.	Shannon.
Hunt.	Tillery.
Hyder.	Van Zandt.
Jones of Atascosa.	Vaughan.
Kayton.	Wagstaff.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Wells.
Leonard.	West.
Long.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 70 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Adamson.	Jones of Shelby.
Aikin.	Kayton.
Alsup.	Kyle of Hays.
Anderson	Laird.
of Johnson.	Latham.
Baker.	Lemens.
Beck.	Leonard.
Bedford.	Lotief.
Bourne.	Magee.
Burns.	Mackay.
Butler.	McCullough.
Calvert.	McDougald.
Camp.	Merritt.
Canon.	Metcalfe.
Cathey.	Moffett.
Chastain.	Moore.
Clayton.	Morrison.
Colson.	Morse.
Coombes.	Munson.
Cowley.	Palmer.
Crossley.	Parkhouse.
Daniel.	Patterson.
Davidson.	Pavlica.
Dean.	Pope.
Devall.	Puryear.
Dunlap.	Ramsey.
Dwyer.	Ratliff.
Engelhard.	Ray.
Fain.	Reader.
Few.	Reed of Bowie.
Ford.	Reed of Dallas.
Fuchs.	Renfro.
Glass.	Roberts.
Golson.	Rogers of Hunt.
Good.	Rogers
Goodman.	of Ochiltree.
Griffith.	Ross.
Haag.	Russell.
Hankamer.	Shults.
Harris.	Smith.
Harrison.	Stanfield.
Hartzog.	Steward.
Head.	Stinson.
Hester.	Stovall.
Hicks.	Sullivant.
Hill of Webb.	Tarwater.
Hodges.	Tennyson.
Holland.	Thomas.
Hoskins.	Townsend.
Huddleston.	Turlington.
Hughes.	Walker.
Jackson.	Weinert.
James.	Wells.
Johnson	Wood.
of Anderson.	Young.

Nays—5

Jones of Runnels.	Scott.
Lindsey.	Vaughan.
Rollins.	

Present—Not Voting

Hunt.

Absent

Alexander.	Long.
Anderson	Mathis.
of Bexar.	McClain.
Barrett.	McGregor.
Barron.	McKee.
Dunagan.	Mitcham.
Duvall.	Nicholson.
Greathouse.	Riddle.
Harman.	Savage.
Hill of Brazoria.	Scarborough.
Holekamp.	Shannon.
Holloway.	Tillery.
Hyder.	Van Zandt.
Jones of Atascosa.	Wagstaff.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

SENATE BILL NO. 128 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 128, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2317, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, of 1925, relating to the administration of the affairs of a corporation; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 128 ON THIRD READING

Mrs. Hughes moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 128 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adamson.	Chastain.
Aikin.	Clayton.
Alsup.	Colson.
Anderson	Coombes.
of Johnson.	Cowley.
Baker.	Crossley.
Barrett.	Daniel.
Beck.	Davidson.
Bedford.	Dean.
Bourne.	Devall.
Burns.	Dwyer.
Butler.	Engelhard.
Calvert.	Fain.
Camp.	Ford.
Canon.	Fuchs.
Cathey.	Glass.

Golson.	Parkhouse.
Good.	Patterson.
Goodman.	Pavlica.
Griffith.	Pope.
Hankamer.	Puryear.
Harris.	Ramsey.
Hartzog.	Ratliff.
Head.	Ray.
Hester.	Reader.
Hicks.	Reed of Bowie.
Hill of Webb.	Reed of Dallas.
Hodges.	Renfro.
Holland.	Roberts.
Hoskins.	Rogers of Hunt.
Huddleston.	Rogers of Ochiltree.
Hughes.	Rollins.
Hunt.	Ross.
Jackson.	Russell.
James.	Scarborough.
Johnson	Scott.
of Anderson.	Shults.
Jones of Runnels.	Smith.
Jones of Shelby.	Stanfield.
Kayton.	Steward.
Latham.	Stinson.
Lemens.	Stovall.
Leonard.	Sullivant.
Lindsey.	Tarwater.
Lotief.	Tennyson.
Mackay.	Thomas.
McClain.	Tillery.
McCullough.	Townsend.
McDougald.	Turlington.
McKee.	Van Zandt.
Merritt.	Vaughan.
Metcalfe.	Wagstaff.
Moffett.	Walker.
Moore.	Weinert.
Morrison.	Wood.
Munson.	Young.
Palmer.	

Nays—1

Kyle of Hays.

Absent

Alexander.	Jones of Atascosa.
Anderson	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
of Bexar.	Laird.
Barron.	Long.
Dunlap.	Magee.
Dunagan.	Mathis.
Duvall.	McGregor.
Few.	Mitcham.
Greathouse.	Morse.
Haag.	Nicholson.
Harman.	Riddle.
Harrison.	Savage.
Hill of Brazoria.	Shannon.
Holekamp.	Wells.
Holloway.	West.
Hyder.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 128 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Adamson.	Jones of Shelby.
Aikin.	Laird.
Alsup.	Latham.
Anderson	Lemens.
of Johnson.	Leonard.
Baker.	Lindsey.
Barrett.	Lotief.
Barron.	Magee.
Beck.	McClain.
Bedford.	McCullough.
Bourne.	McDougald.
Burns.	McKee.
Butler.	Merritt.
Calvert.	Metcalfe.
Camp.	Mitcham.
Canon.	Moffett.
Chastain.	Moore.
Clayton.	Morrison.
Colson.	Munson.
Coombes.	Palmer.
Cowley.	Parkhouse.
Crossley.	Patterson.
Daniel.	Pavlica.
Davidson.	Puryear.
Dean.	Ramsey.
Devall.	Ratliff.
Dunagan.	Ray.
Dwyer.	Reader.
Engelhard.	Reed of Dallas.
Fain.	Renfro.
Ford.	Roberts.
Fuchs.	Rogers of Hunt.
Glass.	Rogers
Golson.	of Ochiltree.
Good.	Rollins.
Goodman.	Ross.
Griffith.	Russell.
Haag.	Scarborough.
Hankamer.	Scott.
Harris.	Shults.
Hartzog.	Stanfield.
Head.	Steward.
Hester.	Stinson.
Hicks.	Stovall.
Hill of Webb.	Sullivant.
Hodges.	Tarwater.
Holland.	Tennyson.
Hoskins.	Tillery.
Huddleston.	Townsend.
Hughes.	Turlington.
Hunt.	Van Zandt.
Jackson.	Vaughan.
James.	Walker.
Johnson	Weinert.
of Anderson.	Wood.
Jones of Runnels.	Young.

Nays—1

Kyle of Hays.

Absent

Alexander.	Long.
Anderson	Mackay.
of Bexar.	Mathis.
Cathey.	McGregor.
Dunlap.	Morse.
Duvall.	Nicholson.
Few.	Pope.
Greathouse.	Reed of Bowie.
Harman.	Riddle.
Harrison.	Savage.
Hill of Brazoria.	Shannon.
Holekamp.	Smith.
Holloway.	Thomas.
Hyder.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Atascosa.	Wells.
Kayton.	West.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, March 9, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate
to inform the House that the Senate
has adopted

H. C. R. No. 39, A resolution to
welcome the Pan-American Medical
Association to Texas.

H. C. R. No. 5, Proposing to give
permission to J. D. Davis to bring
suit against the State.

H. C. R. No. 13, Proposing to give
permission to Central Supply Com-
pany, of Dallas, to bring suit against
the State.

H. C. R. No. 16, Proposing to give
permission to Mrs. Agatha Harris to
sue the State for damages.

H. C. R. No. 25, Proposing to give
permission to Cage Brothers to bring
suit against the State.

H. C. R. No. 26, Proposing to grant
Heuermann and Miller permission to
bring suit against the State.

S. C. R. No. 26, Proposing to grant
Members of the Legislature an ex-
tension of time in which to file income
tax returns.

The Senate has passed

H. B. No. 479, A bill to be entitled
"An Act relating to the office of Dis-
trict Attorney for the Eighteenth Ju-
dicial District of Texas, providing
compensation and making an appro-
priation for the same; providing
compensation and making an appro-
priation for the District Attorney of
the One Hundred and Nineteenth Ju-
dicial District of the State of Texas;
providing compensation and making
appropriation for the District At-
torney of the Thirty-fourth Judicial
District of the State of Texas; and
declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 376, A bill to be entitled
"An Act creating the office of county
purchasing agent in certain counties;
fixing his term of office, and provid-
ing for the commissioners court to
adopt the system of rules for said
office; providing for the removal of
said officers, and fixing his salary;
providing for assistants, and fixing
their salary; providing for a bond,
and fixing the amount, and prescribing
the duties of the purchasing agent;
placing said agent under the super-
vision of the purchasing committee of
the commissioners court, etc.; repeal-
ing all laws or parts of laws in con-
flict with the terms and provisions of
this Act; and declaring an emer-
gency." (With amendments.)

S. B. No. 245, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to designate and fix the third
day of November as 'Father of Texas
Day,' in memory of Stephen F. Austin,
the real and true Father of Texas."

The Senate has granted the request
of the House for a conference com-
mittee on House Bill No. 168. The
following have been appointed on the
part of the Senate: Senators Hol-
brook, Oneal, Small, Moore, and
Martin.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE BILL NO. 201 ON SECOND
READING

The Speaker laid before the House,
on its second reading and passage to
third reading,

S. B. No. 201, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to authorize Panhandle &
Santa Fe Railway Company to pur-

chase, own, and operate the railroad of Clinton-Oklahoma-Western Railroad Company of Texas, with its franchises and appurtenances now and hereafter owned; and the railroad of Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway Company of Texas, with its franchises and appurtenances now and hereafter owned; and the railroad of North Plains & Santa Fe Railway Company, with its franchises and appurtenances now and hereafter owned; and until such purchase or purchases is or are made, to authorize lease by the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Company of the railroads and other properties of said other companies, or any of them, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 201 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Stanfield moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 201 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—105

Adamson.	Goodman.
Aikin.	Griffith.
Anderson	Haag.
of Johnson.	Hankamer.
Barrett.	Harrison.
Beck.	Hartzog.
Bedford.	Head.
Bourne.	Hester.
Burns.	Hicks.
Butler.	Hill of Webb.
Calvert.	Holloway.
Camp.	Hoskins.
Canon.	Huddleston.
Chastain.	Hughes.
Clayton.	Hunt.
Cowley.	Hyder.
Crossley.	James.
Daniel.	Johnson
Davidson.	of Anderson.
Dean.	Jones of Runnels.
Devall.	Jones of Shelby.
Dwyer.	Kyle of Hays.
Engelhard.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Fain.	Laird.
Few.	Latham.
Ford.	Lemens.
Fuchs.	Leonard.
Glass.	Lotief.
Golson.	Magee.
Good.	Mackay.

McClain.	Rollins.
McCullough.	Ross.
McDougald.	Russell.
McGregor.	Savage.
McKee.	Scarborough.
Merritt.	Scott.
Metcalf.	Shults.
Moffett.	Stanfield.
Moore.	Steward.
Parkhouse.	Stovall.
Patterson.	Sullivant.
Pavlica.	Tarwater.
Pope.	Tennyson.
Puryear.	Thomas.
Ramsey.	Tillery.
Ratliff.	Turlington.
Ray.	Van Zandt.
Reed of Bowie.	Vaughan.
Reed of Dallas.	Wagstaff.
Renfro.	Walker.
Riddle.	Weinert.
Roberts.	Wells.
Rogers of Hunt.	Wood.
Rogers of Ochiltree.	

Nays—2

Harris.	Lindsey.
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Absent

Alexander.	Jackson.
Alsup.	Jones of Atascosa.
Anderson	Kayton.
of Bexar.	Long.
Baker.	Mathis.
Barron.	Mitcham.
Cathey.	Morrison.
Colson.	Morse.
Coombes.	Munson.
Dunlap.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Palmer.
Duvall.	Reader.
Greathouse.	Shannon.
Harman.	Smith.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stinson.
Hodges.	Townsend.
Holekamp.	West.
Holland.	Young.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 201 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Adamson.	Barrett.
Aikin.	Beck.
Anderson	Bedford.
of Johnson.	Bourne.

Burns.	Lotief.
Butler.	Magee.
Calvert.	McClain.
Camp.	McCullough.
Canon.	McDougald.
Chastain.	McKee.
Clayton.	Merritt.
Cowley.	Metcalfe.
Crossley.	Moffett.
Daniel.	Munson.
Davidson.	Patterson.
Dean.	Pavlica.
Devall.	Pope.
Dwyer.	Puryear.
Engelhard.	Ramsey.
Fain.	Ratliff.
Few.	Ray.
Ford.	Reed of Bowie.
Fuchs.	Reed of Dallas.
Glass.	Renfro.
Golson.	Riddle.
Good.	Roberts.
Goodman.	Rogers of Hunt.
Griffith.	Rogers
Haag.	of Ochiltree.
Hankamer.	Rollins.
Harrison.	Ross.
Hartzog.	Russell.
Head.	Savage.
Hester.	Scarborough.
Hicks.	Scott.
Hill of Webb.	Shults.
Hodges.	Smith.
Holland.	Stanfield.
Hoskins.	Steward.
Huddleston.	Stovall.
Hughes.	Sullivant.
Hunt.	Tarwater.
Hyder.	Tennyson.
Jackson.	Thomas.
James.	Tillery.
Johnson	Townsend.
of Anderson.	Turlington.
Jones of Runnels.	Van Zandt.
Jones of Shelby.	Vaughan.
Kayton.	Wagstaff.
Kyle of Hays.	Walker.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Weinert.
Latham.	Wells.
Lemens.	Wood.
Leonard.	Young.

Nays—2

Harris. Lindsey.

Absent

Alexander.	Dunagan.
Alsup.	Duvall.
Anderson	Greathouse.
of Bexar.	Harman.
Baker.	Hill of Brazoria.
Barron.	Holekamp.
Cathey.	Holloway.
Colson.	Jones of Atascosa.
Coombes.	Laird.
Dunlap.	Long.

Mackay.	Nicholson.
Mathis.	Palmer.
McGregor.	Parkhouse.
Mitcham.	Reader.
Moore.	Shannon.
Morrison.	Stinson.
Morse.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

SENATE BILL NO. 256 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 256, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation of \$6,967.74, to pay the salaries of District Judges of the Special District Court of Smith and Upshur Counties, and the Special District Court of Rusk and Gregg Counties, for the period from December 21, 1932, to August 31, 1933, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 256 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Latham moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 256 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—112

Adamson.	Daniel.
Aikin.	Davidson.
Alexander.	Dean.
Alsup.	Devall.
Anderson	Dunagan.
of Johnson.	Dwyer.
Barrett.	Engelhard.
Barron.	Fain.
Bedford.	Few.
Bourne.	Ford.
Burns.	Fuchs.
Butler.	Glass.
Calvert.	Golson.
Camp.	Good.
Canon.	Goodman.
Chastain.	Greathouse.
Clayton.	Griffith.
Cowley.	Hankamer.
Crossley.	Harris.

Harrison.	Morse.
Head.	Munson.
Hester.	Pavlica.
Hicks.	Puryear.
Hill of Webb.	Ramsey.
Hodges.	Ratliff.
Holland.	Ray.
Holloway.	Reader.
Hoskins.	Reed of Bowie.
Huddleston.	Reed of Dallas.
Hughes.	Renfro.
Hunt.	Roberts.
Hyder.	Rogers of Hunt.
Jackson.	Rogers
James.	of Ochiltree.
Johnson	Rollins.
of Anderson.	Ross.
Jones of Runnels.	Russell.
Jones of Shelby.	Scarborough.
Kayton.	Scott.
Kyle of Hays.	Shults.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Stanfield.
Laird.	Steward.
Latham.	Stinson.
Lemens.	Stovall.
Leonard.	Sullivant.
Lindsey.	Tarwater.
Lotief.	Tennyson.
Magee.	Thomas.
Mackay.	Tillery.
McClain.	Townsend.
McCullough.	Turlington.
McDougald.	Van Zandt.
McGregor.	Wagstaff.
McKee.	Weinert.
Merritt.	Wells.
Metcalfe.	Wood.
Moffett.	Young.
Moore.	

Present—Not Voting

Hartzog.	Vaughan.
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Absent

Anderson	Mathis.
of Bexar.	Mitcham.
Baker.	Morrison.
Beck.	Nicholson.
Cathey.	Palmer.
Colson.	Parkhouse.
Coombes.	Patterson.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Duvall.	Riddle.
Haag.	Savage.
Harman.	Shannon.
Hill of Brazoria.	Smith.
Holekamp.	Walker.
Jones of Atascosa.	West.
Long.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 256 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Mr. Speaker.	Jones of Shelby.
Adamson.	Kayton.
Aikin.	Kyle of Hays.
Alexander.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Alsup.	Laird.
Anderson	Latham.
of Johnson.	Lemens.
Baker.	Leonard.
Barrett.	Lindsey.
Barron.	Lotief.
Bedford.	Magee.
Bourne.	Mackay.
Burns.	McClain.
Butler.	McCullough.
Calvert.	McDougald.
Camp.	McKee.
Canon.	Merritt.
Chastain.	Metcalfe.
Clayton.	Mitcham.
Cowley.	Moffett.
Crossley.	Moore.
Daniel.	Morse.
Davidson.	Munson.
Dean.	Pavlica.
Devall.	Pope.
Dunagan.	Puryear.
Dwyer.	Ramsey.
Engelhard.	Ratliff.
Fain.	Ray.
Few.	Reader.
Ford.	Reed of Bowie.
Fuchs.	Reed of Dallas.
Glass.	Renfro.
Golson.	Roberts.
Good.	Rogers of Hunt.
Goodman.	Rogers
Greathouse.	of Ochiltree.
Griffith.	Rollins.
Haag.	Ross.
Hankamer.	Russell.
Harris.	Savage.
Harrison.	Scarborough.
Head.	Scott.
Hester.	Shults.
Hicks.	Smith.
Hill of Webb.	Stanfield.
Hodges.	Steward.
Holland.	Stinson.
Holloway.	Stovall.
Hoskins.	Sullivant.
Huddleston.	Tarwater.
Hughes.	Tennyson.
Hunt.	Thomas.
Hyder.	Tillery.
Jackson.	Townsend.
James.	Turlington.
Johnson	Van Zandt.
of Anderson.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Runnels.	Walker.

Weinert.
Wells.Wood.
Young.

Present—Not Voting

Hartzog.

Vaughan.

Absent

Anderson
of Bexar.

Long.

Mathis.

Beck.

McGregor.

Cathey.

Morrison.

Colson.

Nicholson.

Coombes.

Palmer.

Dunlap.

Parkhouse.

Duvall.

Patterson.

Harman.

Riddle.

Hill of Brazoria.

Shannon.

Holekamp.

West.

Jones of Atascosa.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.

Jefferson.

Caven.

Johnson

Fisher.

of Dimmit.

Graves.

Winningham.

SENATE BILL NO. 356 ON SECOND
READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 356, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 824, Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas, so as to provide that when a penalty of death or life imprisonment has been assessed, and a defendant escapes pending appeal, the Court of Criminal Appeals may reinstate the appeal under certain conditions; providing that this Act shall take immediate effect, and govern cases now pending and not finally disposed of in said Court, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Question recurring on the passage of the bill to third reading, yeas and nays were demanded.

Senate Bill No. 356 was then passed to third reading by the following vote:

Yeas—83

Adamson.
Alexander.
Barron.
Bourne.
Burns.
Butler.
Calvert.
Camp.
Canon.Chastain.
Clayton.
Cowley.
Daniel.
Davidson.
Dean.
Devall.
Dunagan.
Engelhard.

Fain.

Few.

Ford.

Glass.

Golson.

Griffith.

Hankamer.

Harris.

Hartzog.

Head.

Hester.

Hicks.

Hill of Webb.

Hodges.

Holland.

Hoskins.

Huddleston.

Hughes.

Hunt.

Johnson

of Anderson.

Jones of Runnels.

Jones of Shelby.

Kayton.

Laird.

Lemens.

Leonard.

Lotief.

Magee.

Mackay.

Mathis.

McClain.

McDougald.

McKee.

Merritt.

Metcalf.

Mitcham.

Moffett.

Moore.

Morse.

Munson.

Pope.

Ratliff.

Reed of Bowie.

Reed of Dallas.

Renfro.

Riddle.

Rogers

of Ochiltree.

Ross.

Savage.

Scarborough.

Shults.

Smith.

Stanfield.

Stinson.

Sullivant.

Tennyson.

Turlington.

Van Zandt.

Vaughan.

Wagstaff.

Walker.

Weinert.

Wells.

Wood.

Young.

Nays—21

Aikin.

Alsup.

Baker.

Coombes.

Crossley.

Haag.

James.

Kyle of Hays.

Kyle of Palo Pinto.

Latham.

Lindsey.

Puryear.

Ray.

Roberts.

Rollins.

Russell.

Scott.

Steward.

Tarwater.

Thomas.

Townsend.

Present—Not Voting

Anderson

of Johnson.

Goodman.

Stovall.

Absent

Anderson
of Bexar.

Barrett.

Beck.

Bedford.

Cathey.

Colson.

Dunlap.

Duvall.

Dwyer.

Fuchs.

Good.

Greathouse.

Harman.

Harrison.

Hill of Brazoria.

Holekamp.

Holloway.

Hyder.

Jackson.

Jones of Atascosa.

Long.

McCullough.

McGregor.

Morrison.

Nicholson.

Palmer.	Reader.
Parkhouse.	Rogers of Hunt.
Patterson.	Shannon.
Pavlica.	Tillery.
Ramsey.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

SENATE BILL NO. 356 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Walker moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 356 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—97

Adamson.	Johnson
Alexander.	of Anderson.
Alsup.	Jones of Runnels.
Baker.	Jones of Shelby.
Barron.	Kayton.
Bedford.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Bourne.	Laird.
Burns.	Lemens.
Butler.	Lotief.
Calvert.	Magee.
Camp.	Mackay.
Canon.	Mathis.
Chastain.	McClain.
Clayton.	McCullough.
Cowley.	McDougald.
Daniel.	McGregor.
Davidson.	McKee.
Devall.	Merritt.
Engelhard.	Metcalfe.
Fain.	Mitcham.
Few.	Moffett.
Glass.	Moore.
Golson.	Morse.
Good.	Munson.
Greathouse.	Patterson.
Griffith.	Pavlica.
Haag.	Pope.
Hankamer.	Ratliff.
Harris.	Ray.
Hartzog.	Reed of Bowie.
Head.	Reed of Dallas.
Hester.	Renfro.
Hicks.	Riddle.
Hill of Webb.	Roberts.
Hodges.	Rogers
Holland.	of Ochiltree.
Holloway.	Ross.
Hoskins.	Savage.
Huddleston.	Scarborough.
Hughes.	Shults.
Hunt.	Smith.
James.	Stanfield.

Steward.	Vaughan.
Stinson.	Wagstaff.
Sullivant.	Walker.
Tarwater.	Weinert.
Tennyson.	Wells.
Thomas.	Wood.
Turlington.	Young.
Van Zandt.	

Nays—12

Aikin.	Lindsey.
Coombes.	Puryear.
Crossley.	Rollins.
Ford.	Russell.
Kyle of Hays.	Scott.
Latham.	Townsend.

Present—Not Voting

Anderson	Stovall.
of Johnson.	

Absent

Anderson	Holekamp.
of Bexar.	Hyder.
Barrett.	Jackson.
Beck.	Jones of Atascosa.
Cathey.	Leonard.
Colson.	Long.
Dean.	Morrison.
Dunlap.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Palmer.
Duvall.	Parkhouse.
Dwyer.	Ramsey.
Fuchs.	Reader.
Goodman.	Rogers of Hunt.
Harman.	Shannon.
Harrison.	Tillery.
Hill of Brazoria.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 356 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—110

Adamson.	Canon.
Aikin.	Cathey.
Alexander.	Chastain.
Alsup.	Clayton.
Baker.	Colson.
Barrett.	Cowley.
Beck.	Daniel.
Bedford.	Davidson.
Bourne.	Dean.
Burns.	Devall.
Butler.	Dunlap.
Calvert.	Dunagan.
Camp.	Engelhard.

Fain.	Mitcham.
Few.	Moffett.
Ford.	Moore.
Fuchs.	Morrison.
Glass.	Morse.
Golson.	Munson.
Good.	Patterson.
Greathouse.	Pavlica.
Griffith.	Pope.
Haag.	Puryear.
Hankamer.	Ramsey.
Harris.	Ratliff.
Harrison.	Ray.
Hartzog.	Reader.
Head.	Reed of Bowie.
Hester.	Renfro.
Hicks.	Roberts.
Hill of Webb.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hodges.	Rogers
Holekamp.	of Ochiltree.
Holland.	Rollins.
Hoskins.	Ross.
Huddleston.	Savage.
Hughes.	Scarborough.
Hunt.	Shults.
Jackson.	Smith.
James.	Stanfield.
Jones of Runnels.	Steward.
Jones of Shelby.	Stinson.
Kayton.	Sullivant.
Kyle of Hays.	Tarwater.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Tennyson.
Long.	Thomas.
Lotief.	Tillery.
Magee.	Turlington.
Mackay.	Van Zandt.
Mathis.	Vaughan.
McClain.	Wagstaff.
McCullough.	Walker.
McDougald.	Wells.
McGregor.	Wood.
Merritt.	Young.
Metcalfe.	

Nays—9

Coombes.	Reed of Dallas.
Crossley.	Russell.
Lemens.	Scott.
Lindsey.	Townsend.
Parkhouse.	

Present—Not Voting

Goodman.	Stovall.
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Absent

Anderson	Johnson
of Bexar.	of Anderson.
Anderson	Jones of Atascosa.
of Johnson.	Laird.
Barron.	Latham.
Duvall.	Leonard.
Dwyer.	McKee.
Harman.	Nicholson.
Hill of Brazoria.	Palmer.
Holloway.	Riddle.
Hyder.	Shannon.

Weinert.	West.
Absent—Excused	

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

HOUSE BILL NO. 376 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Patterson called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 376, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the office of county purchasing agent in certain counties; fixing his term of office, and providing for the commissioners court to adopt the system of rules for said office; providing for the removal of said officers and fixing his salary; providing for assistants, and fixing their salary; providing for a bond, and fixing the amount, and prescribing the duties of the purchasing agent; placing said agent under the supervision of the purchasing committee of the commissioners court, etc.; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the terms and provisions of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Patterson moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

In accordance with the above action, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee: Messrs. Shannon, Patterson, Duvall, Renfro, and Moore.

SENATE BILL NO. 341 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 341, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2530, Chapter 1, Title 47, Revised Statutes, making further provision for the safekeeping of securities deposited with the State Depository Board as collateral to secure deposits made by

said Board, in State and/or reserve depositories, and authorizing said Board to rent safety deposit boxes in some bank or banks located in the City of Austin, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 341 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Morse moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 341 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adamson.	Holland.
Aikin.	Hoskins.
Alexander.	Huddleston.
Alsup.	Hughes.
Anderson	Hunt.
of Bexar.	Jackson.
Baker.	James.
Barrett.	Jones of Runnels.
Barron.	Jones of Shelby.
Beck.	Kayton.
Bourne.	Kyle of Hays.
Butler.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Calvert.	Lemens.
Camp.	Lindsey.
Canon.	Long.
Cathey.	Lotief.
Chastain.	Magee.
Colson.	Mathis.
Coombes.	McClain.
Cowley.	McCullough.
Crossley.	McKee.
Daniel.	Merritt.
Davidson.	Metcalfe.
Dean.	Mitcham.
Devall.	Moffett.
Dunlap.	Moore.
Dunagan.	Morrison.
Engelhard.	Morse.
Fain.	Munson.
Few.	Palmer.
Ford.	Parkhouse.
Glass.	Patterson.
Golson.	Pavlica.
Good.	Pope.
Goodman.	Puryear.
Greathouse.	Ramsey.
Griffith.	Ratliff.
Harris.	Reader.
Harrison.	Reed of Bowie.
Hartzog.	Reed of Dallas.
Head.	Renfro.
Hicks.	Riddle.
Hodges.	Roberts.
Holekamp.	Rogers of Hunt.

Rogers	Tennyson.
of Ochiltree.	Thomas.
Rollins.	Tillery.
Ross.	Townsend.
Russell.	Turlington.
Savage.	Van Zandt.
Scarborough.	Vaughan.
Shults.	Wagstaff.
Stanfield.	Walker.
Steward.	Wells.
Stinson.	Wood.
Sullivant.	Young.
Tarwater.	

Nays—3

Bedford.	Scott.
Hankamer.	

Absent

Anderson	Jones of Atascosa.
of Johnson.	Laird.
Burns.	Latham.
Clayton.	Leonard.
Duvall.	Mackay.
Dwyer.	McDougald.
Fuchs.	McGregor.
Haag.	Nicholson.
Harman.	Ray.
Hester.	Shannon.
Hill of Brazoria.	Smith.
Hill of Webb.	Stovall.
Holloway.	Weinert.
Hyder.	West.
Johnson	
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 341 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Adamson.	Coombes.
Aikin.	Cowley.
Alexander.	Crossley.
Alsup.	Daniel.
Baker.	Davidson.
Barrett.	Dean.
Barron.	Devall.
Beck.	Dunlap.
Bourne.	Dunagan.
Burns.	Duvall.
Butler.	Engelhard.
Calvert.	Fain.
Camp.	Few.
Canon.	Ford.
Chastain.	Fuchs.
Colson.	Glass.

Golson.	Morse.
Good.	Munson.
Goodman.	Palmer.
Haag.	Parkhouse.
Hankamer.	Patterson.
Harman.	Pavlica.
Harris.	Pope.
Harrison.	Purveyer.
Hartzog.	Ramsey.
Head.	Ratliff.
Hester.	Ray.
Hicks.	Reader.
Hill of Webb.	Reed of Bowie.
Hodges.	Reed of Dallas.
Holekamp.	Renfro.
Holland.	Riddle.
Hoskins.	Roberts.
Huddleston.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hughes.	Rogers
Hunt.	of Ochiltree.
Jackson.	Rollins.
James.	Ross.
Jones of Runnels.	Russell.
Jones of Shelby.	Savage.
Kayton.	Scarborough.
Kyle of Hays.	Shults.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Stanfield.
Latham.	Steward.
Lemens.	Stinson.
Lindsey.	Sullivant.
Long.	Tarwater.
Lotief.	Tennyson.
Magee.	Thomas.
Mathis.	Tillery.
McClain.	Townsend.
McCullough.	Turlington.
McKee.	Van Zandt.
Merritt.	Vaughan.
Metcalfe.	Wagstaff.
Mitcham.	Walker.
Moffett.	Wells.
Moore.	Wood.
Morrison.	Young.

Absent

Anderson	Jones of Atascosa.
of Bexar.	Laird.
Anderson	Leonard.
of Johnson.	Mackay.
Bedford.	McDougald.
Cathey.	McGregor.
Clayton.	Nicholson.
Dwyer.	Scott.
Greathouse.	Shannon.
Griffith.	Smith.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stovall.
Holloway.	Weinert.
Hyder.	West.
Johnson	
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

SENATE BILL NO. 421 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Anderson of Bexar, the Twenty-four-hour House Rule, relative to printed bills, was suspended for the purpose of considering at this time Senate Bill No. 421.

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 421, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 4682, of the Revised Civil Statutes, by adding thereto Subsection 21, authorizing the Board of Insurance Commissioners, with approval of the Governor of Texas, to exercise such incidental and implied powers and duties as may be necessary to carry out the purposes and intent of the insurance laws of this State, and, by adding thereto Subsection 22, authorizing the Board of Insurance Commissioners to prescribe rules and regulations for carrying out the purposes and intent of the insurance laws of this State; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Anderson of Bexar offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 421 by striking out all below the enacting clause, and substituting therefor the following:

"Section 1. The Board of Insurance Commissioners of the State of Texas, with the approval of the Governor of the State, from and after the passage of this Act, are specifically authorized and empowered to promulgate such rules, regulations, and orders as they may deem necessary to regulate and stabilize the payment of premiums to life insurance companies, and fraternal benefit societies, and the payment of policy reserve loans, and withdrawals of cash surrender values, due and payable to policyholders, including the payment of dividends to policyholders and stockholders. To protect the interest of policyholders, such Board, during the emergency covered by this Act, shall have authority to prevent the cancellation of policies, and extend the time for the payment of premiums due thereon for such period of time and upon such conditions as

to the Board may seem just and proper. Provided, however, that said Board of Insurance Commissioners shall not have power to limit the payment of death, sick, and accident claims, and such other claims, including final judgments, for which such life insurance companies and fraternal benefit societies may be liable. And providing further, that the Board of Insurance Commissioners, with the approval of the Governor of Texas, shall have power and authority to cancel the permit to do business in this State of any life insurance company and fraternal benefit society violating or refusing to comply with any rule, regulation, or order promulgated in pursuance of the authority granted under this Act. It is further provided, however, that no limit of liability or extension of time shall be granted as to obligations due by life insurance companies or fraternal benefit societies to policyholders, until and unless a like limit be at the same time extended to policyholders as to all policy obligations due to life insurance companies and fraternal benefit societies on all policies to which such extension or limitation of liability with respect to loan or cash values apply.

"Sec. 2. If any Section, provision, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Act shall be declared unconstitutional, or invalid, for any reason, it shall not affect any other provision or portion of this Act, and the same shall remain in full force and effect.

"Sec. 3. The fact that the Board of Insurance Commissioners is not now expressly authorized to exercise authority and prescribe rules and regulations in conformity with sound business policies regarding life insurance companies and fraternal benefit societies doing business in this State, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity, that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

Mr. Burns offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 1, to Senate Bill No. 421, by adding a new section to be numbered 2-a, and which shall read as follows:

"Section 2-a. Provided, that when any person holds a policy in any insurance company, and the same has a cash surrender value, and said person makes an application for a cash surrender under said policy, and said insurance company refuses to pay said cash surrender value under said policy, under the provisions of this Act, said company shall pay the policyholder six per cent (6%) interest per annum on the amount of money that said policyholder is entitled to receive under the cash surrender value of said loan."

BURNS,
DANIEL.

Mr. McGregor raised a point of order on further consideration of the amendment, on the ground that the amendment is not germane to the committee amendment.

The Speaker overruled the point of order.

NOTICE GIVEN

Mr. Van Zandt gave notice that he would, on tomorrow, move to take up, for consideration at that time, House Bill No. 144, which bill had heretofore been laid on the table subject to call.

SENATE BILL ON FIRST READING

The following Senate bill, received from the Senate today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 245, to the Committee on State Affairs.

RELATIVE TO HOUSE RULES

On motion of Mr. Morse, by unanimous consent of the House, the word "calendar" was inserted in an amendment to the Rules, adopted on yesterday.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

H. B. No. 479, "An Act relating to the office of District Attorney for the Eighteenth Judicial District of Texas, providing compensation and making an appropriation for the same; providing compensation and making an appropriation for the District Attorney of the One Hundred

and Nineteenth Judicial District of the State of Texas; providing compensation and making appropriation for the District Attorney of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District of the State of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

RECESS

Mr. Stovall moved that the House recess to 9:30 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Mr. Moffett moved that the House recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

Question first recurring on the motion by Mr. Moffett, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—76

Aikin.	Latham.
Alexander.	Leonard.
Alsup.	Lindsey.
Anderson	Lotief.
of Bexar.	Magee.
Baker.	Mackay.
Bourne.	McCullough.
Butler.	McDougald.
Calvert.	Merritt.
Camp.	Mitcham.
Canon.	Moffett.
Coombes.	Moore.
Cowley.	Morse.
Crossley.	Parkhouse.
Dean.	Pavlica.
Devall.	Pope.
Duvall.	Ratliff.
Dwyer.	Ray.
Fain.	Reed of Bowie.
Glass.	Reed of Dallas.
Good.	Renfro.
Goodman.	Roberts.
Greathouse.	Rogers of Hunt.
Harris.	Rollins.
Hartzog.	Ross.
Head.	Savage.
Hicks.	Scott.
Hodges.	Smith.
Holekamp.	Stanfield.
Holland.	Stinson.
Hoskins.	Tarwater.
Huddleston.	Tennyson.
Hughes.	Thomas.
Hunt.	Tillery.
James.	Townsend.
Jones of Runnels.	Turlington.
Kayton.	Walker.
Kyle of Hays.	Wells.
Laird.	

Nays—42

Adamson.	Colson.
Anderson	Daniel.
of Johnson.	Davidson.
Burns.	Dunagan.
Chastain.	Engelhard.

Few.	Munson.
Ford.	Palmer.
Golson.	Patterson.
Haag.	Purveyer.
Hankamer.	Riddle.
Harman.	Rogers
Harrison.	of Ochiltree.
Hester.	Russell.
Hill of Webb.	Scarborough.
Jackson.	Shults.
Johnson	Steward.
of Anderson.	Stovall.
Jones of Atascosa.	Sullivant.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Van Zandt.
McClain.	Vaughan.
McGregor.	Wood.
Metcalfe.	Young.
Morrison.	

Absent

Barrett.	Jones of Shelby.
Barron.	Lemens.
Beck.	Long.
Bedford.	Mathis.
Cathey.	McKee.
Clayton.	Nicholson.
Dunlap.	Ramsey.
Fuchs.	Reader.
Griffith.	Shannon.
Hill of Brazoria.	Wagstaff.
Holloway.	Weinert.
Hyder.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The House, accordingly, at 12:15 o'clock p. m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

SENATE BILL NO. 421 ON PAS- SAGE TO THIRD READING

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being Senate Bill No. 421, relative to the payment of insurance premiums, on its passage to third reading; the bill having been read second time on this morning, with committee amendment by Mr. Anderson of Bexar, and amendment by Mr. Burns to the committee amendment, pending.

Mr. Anderson of Bexar moved to table the amendment by Mr. Burns.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—67

Adamson.	Jones of Runnels.
Alexander.	Kyle of Hays.
Alsup.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Anderson	Latham.
of Bexar.	Leonard.
Barron.	Lindsey.
Calvert.	Magee.
Camp.	Mitcham.
Canon.	Moore.
Cathey.	Munson.
Clayton.	Parkhouse.
Coombes.	Pavlica.
Crossley.	Ratliff.
Dean.	Ray.
Dunlap.	Reed of Dallas.
Dunagan.	Renfro.
Engelhard.	Riddle.
Ford.	Roberts.
Glass.	Ross.
Golson.	Russell.
Good.	Savage.
Goodman.	Smith.
Griffith.	Steward.
Hankamer.	Stinson.
Harrison.	Stovall.
Head.	Sullivant.
Hester.	Tarwater.
Hodges.	Tennyson.
Holekamp.	Townsend.
Holland.	Van Zandt.
Hoskins.	Wagstaff.
Hughes.	Walker.
Hunt.	Weinert.
James.	Wells.

Nays—37

Aikin.	Metcalf.
Anderson	Morrison.
of Johnson.	Palmer.
Beck.	Pope.
Bedford.	Puryear.
Bourne.	Ramsey.
Burns.	Reed of Bowie.
Butler.	Rogers of Hunt.
Daniel.	Rogers
Davidson.	of Ochiltree.
Devall.	Rollins.
Fain.	Scarborough.
Few.	Shults.
Harris.	Stanfield.
Hicks.	Thomas.
Huddleston.	Tillery.
Laird.	Turlington.
Mackay.	Vaughan.
McCullough.	Wood.
Merritt.	

Present—Not Voting

Hyder.	McClain.
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Absent

Baker.	Jones of Shelby.
Barrett.	Kayton.
Chastain.	Lemens.
Colson.	Long.
Cowley.	Lotief.
Duvall.	Mathis.
Dwyer.	McDougald.
Fuchs.	McGregor.
Greathouse.	McKee.
Haag.	Moffett.
Harman.	Morse.
Hartzog.	Nicholson.
Hill of Brazoria.	Patterson.
Hill of Webb.	Reader.
Holloway.	Scott.
Jackson.	Shannon.
Johnson	West.
of Anderson.	Young.
Jones of Atascosa.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

Mr. Burns offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend Committee Amendment No. 2, to Senate Bill No. 421, by adding, at the end of Section 2, the words: "Provided that this Act shall expire and be of no force and effect from and through lifting and cancelling of the National bank moratorium."

BURNS,
DANIEL,
SULLIVANT.

Mr. Walker raised a point of order on further consideration of the amendment by Mr. Burns, on the ground that the amendment violates certain provisions of the Constitution.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

Mr. Sullivant offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 1, to Senate Bill No. 421, by adding, at the end of Section 2, the words: "Provided, that this Act shall expire and be of no force and effect from and after the thirty-first day of August, 1933."

Mr. Savage offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Sullivant:

Substitute for amendment to the committee amendment to Senate Bill No. 421, by adding, at the end of Section 2, the words: "Provided, that this Act shall expire and be of no force and effect from and after the fifteenth day of January, 1935."

On motion of Mr. Calvert, the substitute amendment was tabled.

Mr. Parkhouse moved to table the amendment by Mr. Sullivan to the committee amendment.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—35

Alsup.	Leonard.
Anderson	Magee.
of Bexar.	Moore.
Camp.	Morse.
Canon.	Pavlica.
Clayton.	Reed of Dallas.
Dunlap.	Renfro.
Glass.	Ross.
Golson.	Russell.
Good.	Savage.
Goodman.	Smith.
Hankamer.	Stinson.
Head.	Stovall.
Hill of Webb.	Thomas.
Hughes.	Townsend.
Kayton.	Wagstaff.
Kyie of Palo Pinto.	Weinert.
Lemens.	Young.

Nays—71

Adamson.	Hicks.
Aikin.	Hodges.
Anderson	Holekamp.
of Johnson.	Holland.
Barron.	Huddleston.
Beck.	Hunt.
Bedford.	James.
Bourne.	Jones of Runnels.
Burns.	Jones of Shelby.
Butler.	Kyle of Hays.
Calvert.	Laird.
Chastain.	Latham.
Coombes.	Lindsey.
Crossley.	Lotief.
Daniel.	Mackay.
Davidson.	Mathis.
Dean.	McCullough.
Devall.	Merritt.
Dunagan.	Metcalfe.
Engelhard.	Moffett.
Fain.	Morrison.
Few.	Munson.
Ford.	Palmer.
Griffith.	Pope.
Haag.	Puryear.
Harris.	Ratliff.
Hartzog.	Reed of Bowie.
Hester.	Roberts.

Rogers
of Ochiltree.
Rollins.
Scarborough.
Scott.
Shults.
Stanfield.
Sullivan.
Tarwater.

Tennyson.
Tillery.
Turlington.
Van Zandt.
Vaughan.
Walker.
Wells.
Wood.

Absent

Alexander.	Jones of Atascosa.
Baker.	Long.
Barrett.	McClain.
Cathey.	McDougald.
Colson.	McGregor.
Cowley.	McKee.
Duvall.	Mitcham.
Dwyer.	Nicholson.
Fuchs.	Parkhouse.
Greathouse.	Patterson.
Harman.	Ramsey.
Harrison.	Ray.
Hill of Brazoria.	Reader.
Holloway.	Riddle.
Hoskins.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hyder.	Shannon.
Jackson.	Steward.
Johnson	West.
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Sullivan, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—78

Adamson.	Ford.
Aikin.	Greathouse.
Alexander.	Griffith.
Anderson	Haag.
of Johnson.	Harris.
Barron.	Harrison.
Beck.	Hartzog.
Bedford.	Hester.
Bourne.	Hicks.
Burns.	Hill of Webb.
Calvert.	Hodges.
Cathey.	Holekamp.
Coombes.	Holland.
Cowley.	Holloway.
Daniel.	Huddleston.
Davidson.	Hunt.
Dean.	Hyder.
Devall.	James.
Dunagan.	Jones of Runnels.
Engelhard.	Kayton.
Fain.	Kyle of Hays.
Few.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.

Latham.	Rollins.
Lindsey.	Ross.
Lotief.	Scarborough.
Magee.	Scott.
Mackay.	Shults.
McCullough.	Stanfield.
Merritt.	Steward.
Moffett.	Sullivan.
Morrison.	Tennyson.
Munson.	Thomas.
Palmer.	Tillery.
Pope.	Turlington.
Puryear.	Van Zandt.
Ramsey.	Vaughan.
Ratliff.	Walker.
Reed of Bowie.	Wells.
Roberts.	Wood.
Rogers of Ochiltree.	

Nays—39

Alsup.	Leonard.
Anderson	McClain.
of Bexar.	Metcalf.
Camp.	Mitcham.
Canon.	Moore.
Chastain.	Morse.
Clayton.	Nicholson.
Colson.	Parkhouse.
Crossley.	Pavlica.
Dunlap.	Reed of Dallas.
Glass.	Renfro.
Golson.	Russell.
Good.	Savage.
Goodman.	Smith.
Hankamer.	Stinson.
Head.	Stovall.
Hoskins.	Townsend.
Hughes.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Shelby.	Weinert.
Lemens.	Young.

Absent

Baker.	Long.
Barrett.	Mathis.
Butler.	McDougald.
Duvall.	McGregor.
Dwyer.	McKee.
Fuchs.	Patterson.
Harman.	Ray.
Hill of Brazoria.	Reader.
Jackson.	Riddle.
Johnson	Rogers of Hunt.
of Anderson.	Shannon.
Jones of Atascosa.	Tarwater.
Laird.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

Mr. Sullivant moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment was

adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Pope offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 1, to Senate Bill No. 421, by adding at the end of Section 1, the following:

"Provided, that the provision hereof shall not be applicable to, or available for, any life insurance company doing business in Texas, that pays dividends to its stockholders, or salaries, in excess of \$750 per month, to any officer of such company during the year 1933, or for such additional time as this Act shall be in operation."

Question recurring on the amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—71

Adamson.	James.
Aikin.	Kyle of Hays.
Alexander.	Laird.
Barrett.	Latham.
Barron.	Lotief.
Beck.	McClain.
Bourne.	McCullough.
Burns.	Merritt.
Calvert.	Mitcham.
Canon.	Moffett.
Cathey.	Morrison.
Chastain.	Palmer.
Colson.	Pavlica.
Coombes.	Pope.
Cowley.	Puryear.
Daniel.	Ramsey.
Davidson.	Ray.
Dean.	Reed of Bowie.
Devall.	Roberts.
Dunagan.	Rogers of Hunt.
Duvall.	Rogers
Fain.	of Ochiltree.
Few.	Rollins.
Glass.	Russell.
Golson.	Scarborough.
Good.	Scott.
Haag.	Shults.
Harris.	Smith.
Hartzog.	Stovall.
Hester.	Tarwater.
Hicks.	Thomas.
Hodges.	Tillery.
Holloway.	Turlington.
Hoskins.	Vaughan.
Huddleston.	Walker.
Hunt.	Wood.

Nays—48

Alsup.	Lemens.
Anderson	Leonard.
of Bexar.	Lindsey.
Anderson	Magee.
of Johnson.	Mackay.
Bedford.	Mathis.
Camp.	Moore.
Clayton.	Morse.
Crossley.	Munson.
Engelhard.	Nicholson.
Ford.	Parkhouse.
Goodman.	Ratliff.
Griffith.	Reader.
Hankamer.	Reed of Dallas.
Harrison.	Renfro.
Head.	Ross.
Hill of Brazoria.	Savage.
Hill of Webb.	Stanfield.
Holekamp.	Steward.
Holland.	Stinson.
Hughes.	Townsend.
Hyder.	Van Zandt.
Jackson.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Runnels.	Wells.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Young.

Present—Not Voting

Dunlap.

Absent

Baker.	McDougald.
Butler.	McGregor.
Dwyer.	McKee.
Fuchs.	Metcalf.
Greathouse.	Patterson.
Harman.	Riddle.
Johnson	Shannon.
of Anderson.	Sullivant.
Jones of Atascosa.	Tennyson.
Jones of Shelby.	Weinert.
Kayton.	West.
Long.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

Mr. Pope moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment was adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Scarborough offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 1, Section 1, after the word "Provided," by adding the following: "when the premium on said policy has been extended, no interest shall be charged to the policyholder."

Mr. Chastain moved the previous question on the pending amendments and the bill, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Scarborough, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—80

Adamson.	Kyle of Hays.
Aikin.	Laird.
Alexander.	Latham.
Alsup.	Lotief.
Anderson	Magee.
of Johnson.	Mackay.
Barron.	McClain.
Beck.	Merritt.
Bedford.	Mitcham.
Bourne.	Morrison.
Burns.	Munson.
Butler.	Palmer.
Calvert.	Pavlica.
Camp.	Pope.
Canon.	Puryear.
Chastain.	Ramsey.
Clayton.	Ratliff.
Colson.	Ray.
Coombes.	Reed of Bowie.
Cowley.	Reed of Dallas.
Daniel.	Roberts.
Davidson.	Rogers
Devall.	of Ochiltree.
Engelhard.	Russell.
Fain.	Savage.
Glass.	Scarborough.
Golson.	Scott.
Haag.	Shults.
Harris.	Smith.
Harrison.	Stanfield.
Hartzog.	Stovall.
Hester.	Tarwater.
Hicks.	Thomas.
Hill of Webb.	Tillery.
Hodges.	Townsend.
Holekamp.	Turlington.
Huddleston.	Wagstaff.
Hughes.	Walker.
Hyder.	Wells.
James.	Wood.
Jones of Runnels.	Young.

Nays—29

Anderson	Hunt.
of Bexar.	Kayton.
Barrett.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Cathey.	Lemens.
Crossley.	Mathis.
Dean.	McDougald.
Dunlap.	Moore.
Ford.	Morse.
Good.	Nicholson.
Hankamer.	Parkhouse.
Head.	Patterson.
Hoskins.	Reader.

Rollins.	Stinson.
Ross.	Sullivant.
Steward.	Van Zandt.

Present—Not Voting

Moffett.	Riddle.
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Absent

Baker.	Jones of Atascosa.
Dunagan.	Jones of Shelby.
Duvall.	Leonard.
Dwyer.	Lindsey.
Few.	Long.
Fuchs.	McCullough.
Goodman.	McGregor.
Greathouse.	McKee.
Griffith.	Metcalfe.
Harman.	Renfro.
Hill of Brazoria.	Rogers of Hunt.
Holland.	Shannon.
Holloway.	Tennyson.
Jackson.	Vaughan.
Johnson	Weinert.
of Anderson.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

The committee amendment as amended was then adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes made in the body of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 421 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 421 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Anderson of Bexar moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 421 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Adamson.	Beck.
Aikin.	Bedford.
Alexander.	Bourne.
Alsup.	Burns.
Anderson	Calvert.
of Bexar.	Camp.
Anderson	Canon.
of Johnson.	Cathey.
Barrett.	Chastain.
Barron.	Clayton.

Colson.	Merritt.
Coombes.	Mitcham.
Cowley.	Moffett.
Daniel.	Moore.
Davidson.	Morrison.
Dean.	Morse.
Devall.	Nicholson.
Dunlap.	Palmer.
Duvall.	Parkhouse.
Engelhard.	Patterson.
Fain.	Pavlica.
Few.	Pope.
Ford.	Purveyer.
Glass.	Ramsey.
Golson.	Ratliff.
Good.	Ray.
Greathouse.	Reader.
Haag.	Reed of Bowie.
Hankamer.	Reed of Dallas.
Harman.	Renfro.
Harris.	Riddle.
Harrison.	Roberts.
Hartzog.	Rogers
Head.	of Ochiltree.
Hester.	Rollins.
Hicks.	Ross.
Hill of Brazoria.	Russell.
Hill of Webb.	Savage.
Hodges.	Scarborough.
Holekamp.	Scott.
Hoskins.	Shults.
Huddleston.	Smith.
Hyder.	Stanfield.
Jackson.	Steward.
James.	Stinson.
Jones of Runnels.	Stovall.
Jones of Shelby.	Sullivant.
Kayton.	Tarwater.
Kyle of Hays.	Tennyson.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Thomas.
Laird.	Tillery.
Latham.	Townsend.
Lemens.	Turlington.
Lindsey.	Van Zandt.
Lotief.	Vaughan.
Magee.	Wagstaff.
Mackay.	Walker.
Mathis.	Wells.
McClain.	Wood.
McGregor.	Young.

Nays—3

Butler.	Hunt.
Crossley.	

Absent

Baker.	Johnson
Dunagan.	of Anderson.
Dwyer.	Jones of Atascosa.
Fuchs.	Leonard.
Goodman.	Long.
Griffith.	McCullough.
Holland.	McDougald.
Holloway.	McKee.
Hughes.	Metcalfe.

Munson.
Rogers of Hunt.
Shannon.

Weinert.
West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.
Caven.
Fisher.
Graves.

Jefferson.
Johnson
of Dimmit.
Winningham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 421 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Adamson.	Huddleston.
Aikin.	Hughes.
Alexander.	Hyder.
Alsup.	Jackson.
Anderson	James.
of Bexar.	Jones of Runnels.
Anderson	Jones of Shelby.
of Johnson.	Kayton.
Barrett.	Kyle of Hays.
Barron.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Beck.	Laird.
Bourne.	Latham.
Calvert.	Lemens.
Camp.	Lindsey.
Canon.	Lotief.
Cathey.	Magee.
Chastain.	Mathis.
Clayton.	McClain.
Colson.	McGregor.
Coombes.	Merritt.
Cowley.	Mitcham.
Davidson.	Moffett.
Dean.	Moore.
Devall.	Morrison.
Dunlap.	Morse.
Duvall.	Nicholson.
Engelhard.	Palmer.
Fain.	Parkhouse.
Few.	Patterson.
Golson.	Pavlica.
Good.	Ramsey.
Goodman.	Ratliff.
Greathouse.	Ray.
Griffith.	Reader.
Haag.	Reed of Dallas.
Hankamer.	Renfro.
Harman.	Riddle.
Harris.	Rogers
Harrison.	of Ochiltree.
Hartzog.	Rollins.
Head.	Ross.
Hester.	Russell.
Hicks.	Savage.
Hill of Brazoria.	Scarborough.
Hill of Webb.	Scott.
Hodges.	Shults.
Holekamp.	Smith.
Hoskins.	Stanfield.

Steward.
Stinson.
Stovall.
Sullivant.
Tarwater.
Tennyson.
Thomas.
Tillery.

Townsend.
Turlington.
Van Zandt.
Wagstaff.
Walker.
Wells.
Wood.
Young.

Nays—13

Bedford.	Mackay.
Burns.	Munson.
Butler.	Purveyar.
Crossley.	Reed of Bowie.
Daniel.	Roberts.
Ford.	Vaughan.
Hunt.	

Present—Not Voting

Glass.

Absent

Baker.	Long.
Dunagan.	McCullough.
Dwyer.	McDougald.
Fuchs.	McKee.
Holland.	Metcalfe.
Holloway.	Pope.
Johnson	Rogers of Hunt.
of Anderson.	Shannon.
Jones of Atascosa.	Weinert.
Leonard.	West.

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

Mr. Van Zandt moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed, and to table the motion to reconsider. The motion to table prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, March 9, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

H. B. No. 49, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, and 25, of Chapter 26, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature of Texas, regulating the testing of automobile lights, and operation of motor vehicles, tractors, motorcycles, and bicycles in Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The Senate has adopted

H. C. R. No. 19, Granting S. G. Burnett and others the right to sue the State. (With amendment.)

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills:

S. B. No. 128, "An Act to amend Article 2317 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, of 1925, relating to the administration of the affairs of a corporation; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 256, "An Act making appropriation of \$6,967.74, to pay the salaries of District Judges of the Special District Court of Smith and Upshur Counties, and the Special District Court of Rusk and Gregg Counties, for the period from December 21, 1932, to August 31, 1933, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 341, "An Act to amend Article 2530, Chapter 1, Title 47, Revised Statutes, making further provision for the safekeeping of securities deposited with the State Depository Board as collateral to secure deposits made by said Board, in State and/or reserve depositories, and authorizing said Board to rent safety deposit boxes in some bank or banks located in the City of Austin, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 49, "An Act to repeal Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, and 25, of Chapter 26, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature of Texas, regulating the testing of automobile lights, and operation of motor vehicles, tractors, motorcycles, and bicycles in Texas, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 356, "An Act to amend Article 824, Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas, so as to provide that when a penalty of death or life imprisonment has been assessed, and a defendant escapes pending appeal, the Court of Criminal

Appeals may reinstate the appeal under certain conditions; providing that this Act shall take immediate effect, and govern cases now pending and not finally disposed of in said Court, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 201, "An Act to authorize Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase, own, and operate the railroad of Clinton-Oklahoma-Western Railroad Company of Texas, with its franchises and appurtenances now and hereafter owned; and the railroad of Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway Company of Texas, with its franchises and appurtenances now and hereafter owned; and the railroad of North Plains & Santa Fe Railway Company, with its franchises and appurtenances now and hereafter owned; and until such purchase or purchases is or are made, to authorize lease by the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Company of the railroads and other properties of said other companies, or any of them, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 70, "An Act making an appropriation, to be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State of Texas, the sum of three thousand eight hundred and forty-three dollars (\$3,843), not otherwise appropriated, to cover taxes due by the State of Texas to the Sugarland Independent School District, covering the years from 1928 to 1932, inclusive, and declaring an emergency."

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, March 9, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted

S. C. R. No. 27, Relative to re-establishment of Fort D. A. Russell on the Texas-Mexican border.

S. C. R. No. 25, Granting Raymond Canion the right to sue the State.

The Senate has passed

H. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish and create a Criminal Judicial District and a Criminal District Court for Bexar County; providing for the jurisdiction of and procedure in said Court; fixing the

time for holding the terms of said Court; providing for the election, tenure of office, qualifications, duties, powers, and compensation of a judge of said Court; etc." (With amendments.)

The Senate has granted the request of the House for a conference committee on House Bill No. 376. The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate: Senators Rawlings, Collie, Hornsby, Pace, and Regan.

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Anderson of Bexar called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish and create a Criminal Judicial District and a Criminal District Court for Bexar County; providing for the jurisdiction of, and procedure in, said Court; fixing the time for holding the terms of said Court; providing for the election, tenure of office, qualifications, duties, powers, and compensation of a judge of said Court; etc."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Anderson of Bexar the House concurred in the Senate amendments by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adamson.	Colson.
Aikin.	Coombes.
Alexander.	Cowley.
Alsup.	Crossley.
Anderson	Dean.
of Bexar.	Devall.
Anderson	Duvall.
of Johnson.	Engelhard.
Barrett.	Fain.
Barron.	Few.
Bedford.	Ford.
Bourne.	Glass.
Burns.	Golson.
Butler.	Good.
Camp.	Goodman.
Canon.	Greathouse.
Cathey.	Griffith.
Chastain.	Haag.
Clayton.	Hankamer.

Harris.	Palmer.
Harrison.	Patterson.
Hartzog.	Pavlica.
Head.	Puryear.
Hester.	Ramsey.
Hicks.	Ratliff.
Hill of Brazoria.	Ray.
Hill of Webb.	Reed of Bowie.
Hodges.	Reed of Dallas.
Holekamp.	Riddle.
Hoskins.	Roberts.
Huddleston.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hughes.	Rogers
Hunt.	of Ochiltree.
Hyder.	Rollins.
Jackson.	Ross.
James.	Russell.
Jones of Runnels.	Savage.
Jones of Shelby.	Scarborough.
Kayton.	Scott.
Kyle of Hays.	Shults.
Laird.	Smith.
Latham.	Stanfield.
Lemens.	Steward.
Lindsey.	Stovall.
Magee.	Sullivant.
Mathis.	Tarwater.
McClain.	Tennyson.
McGregor.	Thomas.
McKee.	Tillery.
Merritt.	Turlington.
Mitcham.	Van Zandt.
Moffett.	Vaughan.
Moore.	Wagstaff.
Morrison.	Walker.
Morse.	Wells.
Munson.	Wood.
Nicholson.	Young.

Present—Not Voting

Daniel.

Absent

Baker.	Long.
Beck.	Lotief.
Calvert.	McCullough.
Davidson.	McDougald.
Dunlap.	Mackay.
Dunagan.	Metcalfe.
Dwyer.	Parkhouse.
Fuchs.	Pope.
Harman.	Reader.
Holland.	Renfro.
Holloway.	Shannon.
Johnson	Stinson.
of Anderson.	Townsend.
Jones of Atascosa.	Weinert.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	West.
Leonard.	

Absent—Excused

Bradley.	Jefferson.
Caven.	Johnson
Fisher.	of Dimmit.
Graves.	Winningham.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Sullivan, the House, at 4:05 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolution, as follows:

Game and Fisheries: Senate Bills Nos. 104 and 40; House Bill No. 599.

Insurance: House Bills Nos. 164, 648, 725, and Senate Bill No. 421.

Judiciary: House Bill No. 786, and Senate Bill No. 128.

Privileges, Suffrage, and Elections: House Bills Nos. 264, 569, 686, and 655.

Federal Relations: House Concurrent Resolution No. 35.

Municipal and Private Corporations: House Bills Nos. 695 and 703.

Education: House Bills Nos. 776 and 586.

The Committee on Insurance filed an adverse report on House Bills Nos. 649 and 740.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 338, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 955, Chapter 6, Title 13, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of 1931, Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, page 20, Chapter 11, Section 1, prohibiting the sale of fish taken from fresh-water streams of certain named counties, and also providing means and methods of taking and possessing fish from fresh waters of said Counties, and including Blanco County and Kendall County, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 339, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, First Called Session, page 5, Chapter 3, relating to fishing in Gillespie, Mason, and other Counties, so as to change the period for the open season; the legal length of certain fish; the number that may be caught in Gillespie and Mason Counties, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 358, A bill to be entitled "An Act designating fur-bearing animals, declaring them the property of the State, declaring a five-year closed season on wild fox in Robertson County; and providing a penalty for violation of this Act,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 413, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the government of water improvement districts organized or hereafter organized in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 247, Acts of the Fortieth Legislature, and governed by the provisions of Chapter 2, Title 128, Revised Civil Statutes and amendments thereto, and which include within their area or boundaries, parts of several organized water improvement districts, and/or irrigation districts, and/or water control and improvement districts, and/or irrigation plants or water plants not organized as defined districts, and providing for the operation, government, and control of

such districts, and of all such defined districts, irrigation and/or water plants included within such districts; providing for changing the name of such districts to include the name, 'water power control districts,' the extension of the boundaries thereof, the exclusion of land therefrom, the election and appointment of directors, the creation of debts, and the levy and collection of taxes and water charges, and fixing a lien on properties assessed, etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 246, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 1103, 1105, 1106, and 1110, of the Penal Code, and declaring an emergency." (Relating to labeling of names on cars, trucks, etc., in which petroleum products are shipped),

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 411, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 322, of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, same being Acts of 1927, Fortieth Legislature, page 222, Chapter 151, by omitting the word 'fortieth,' which same is the Fortieth Judicial District of Ellis County, Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 435, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 11 and

12, of the Acts of 1927, Fortieth Legislature, page 26, Chapter 22, fixing the salary of the Judges of the County Courts at Law of Bexar County, Texas, at \$3,600, and fixing the maximum of the office of county judge at \$6,500, whether the duties are performed by one or more persons, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 439, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Section 1, of the Acts of 1931, Forty-second Legislature, First Called Session, page 5, Chapter 3, in so far as it affects Blanco County, Texas (relating to fishing), and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 482, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating all cities and towns in Texas of 5,000 inhabitants or less, heretofore incorporated and/or attempted in good faith to be incorporated under the General Laws of Texas; and validating all governmental proceedings performed in good faith by the governing bodies of such cities and towns since their incorporation, or attempted incorporation, respectively; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 490, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the disposition of fees of office and setting the maxi-

mum for precinct, county, and district officers in certain counties; providing that if any part of this Act is held unconstitutional, it shall not affect the remaining part of the Act; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and fixing the effective date of the bill; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 524, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 122, of the Special Laws of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, Regular Session, 1925, known as House Bill No. 658, relating to a special road law for De Witt County, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 533, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the use of a steel trap for taking fur-bearing animals or the setting of any steel trap in Cherokee County, with certain exceptions; providing a penalty; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 557, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a closed season on quail in Archer County, and prescribing a penalty for violation thereof,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 534, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful to shoot at or kill any wild deer or wild turkey in that portion of Burnet County north of the Colorado River; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 535, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any person to catch or take, or attempt to take or catch, catfish of less length than nine (9) inches in Burnet County; providing a penalty; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 589, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make it unlawful to take or kill wild quail of any specie, for a period of five years, in Andrews County, Texas; fixing penalty; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 539, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for an open season for doves in Smith and Wood Counties, and repealing the Acts of 1930, Forty-first Legislature, Fourth

Called Session, page 29, Chapter 19, and all other laws or parts of law in conflict herewith, in so far as they affect Smith and Wood Counties, Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 633, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6891, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, omitting the County of Matagorda therefrom." (Relative to cattle branding).

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 572, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 137, of the Special Laws of Texas, of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, known as the Bexar County Road and Bridge Law, by permitting the commissioners court to re-allot certain funds; providing an effective date of this Act; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 644, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 10 and Section 13, of Chapter 27, of the Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, pages 750-751; amending Section 10, of Chapter 27, with reference to the salary to be paid the

deputy clerk of the County Court of Jefferson County at Law; and providing for the salary to be paid the official shorthand reporter of said Court; amending Section 13, of said Chapter 27, with reference to salary to be paid the judge of said Court; and providing that if any paragraph, clause, or sentence of this Act be held unconstitutional, the rest of the Act shall be held valid; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 632, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Acts of 1930, Fifth Called Session, Forty-first Legislature of Texas, page 212, Chapter 66, otherwise identified as Article 2774-a, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, by exempting certain cities and towns from the provisions thereof until the people residing therein, by referendum, avail themselves of the provisions thereof, by vote of the majority of the qualified voters thereof; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 760, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and requiring the board of trustees of the public free schools of the City of Galveston to set aside and appropriate the fund of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) represented by the Guaranty Building and Loan Company certificates heretofore donated to said board of trustees by Mrs. I. Lovenbert, on the thirteenth day of October, 1931, for the purpose of providing, establishing, and maintaining a retirement fund, as well as any other fund or property

hereafter specifically given or donated to said board of trustees therefor, the income from which shall be used for the payment of pensions or retirement benefits to the present and future superintendents, principals, supervisors, teachers, and other regularly salaried employes of said schools, under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed therefor, provided, that no funds or other property derived by way of taxation shall ever be set aside or appropriated for such purpose, and providing that when said funds or property have once been set aside or appropriated for said purpose they can be used for no other purpose, etc.; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 8, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 772, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 333, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, validating all proceedings and acts of the commissioners courts of such counties in elections held for the purpose of authorizing bonds to erect an office building and/or jail; validating all bonds, voted, authorized, and/or issued, validating all tax levies made in behalf of such bond issuances, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 9, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 479, "An Act relating to the office of District Attorney for the Eighteenth Judicial District of Texas, providing compensation, and making an appropriation for same; providing compensation, and making appropriation, for the District Attorney of the One Hundred and Nineteenth Judicial District of the State of Texas; providing compensation, and making appropriation, for the District Attorney of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District of the State of Texas; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

MORRISON, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 7, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 49, "An Act to repeal Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, and 25, of Chapter 26, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature of Texas, regulating the testing of automobile lights, and operation of motor vehicles, tractors, motorcycles, and bicycles in Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

GOOD, Acting Chairman.

In Memory of
Hon. R. L. Williford

Mr. Steward offered the following resolution:

Whereas, On March 6, 1933, the Hon. R. L. Williford, of Fairfield, Texas, was called to his eternal reward; and

Whereas, He was active in civic and governmental affairs, having served Freestone County as county attorney and county judge, and having served as a Member of the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Houses of Representatives, and of the Thirty-sixth Senate of this State; and

Whereas, He was a lawyer of distinction and ability, and a man of outstanding character, kindly in his nature, and much beloved by his associates. Therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That in the passing of the Hon. R. L. Williford, the State of Texas has lost a distinguished citizen and a courteous gentleman; be it further

Resolved, That we extend our sympathy and condolence to the members of his family in the passing of this faithful man and citizen, whose memory is hallowed by all who knew him; and be it further

Resolved, That a page of the Journal be set apart as a memorial to the deceased, and when the House adjourns today it do so in respect to his memory, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the members of his family.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted unanimously.